

Administrative Progress Report (APR) October 2006

To: POST Commissioners and Advisory Committee Members

From: KENNETH J. O'BRIEN Executive Director

The Administrative Progress Report (APR) is a monthly status report that informs POST Commissioners and law enforcement officials of recent progress on POST projects and instructional programs under development, and other information of importance to our mission to continually enhance the professionalism of California law enforcement.

KEN O'BRIEN ANNOUNCES RETIREMENT

At the October 26, 2006, Commission meeting in Long Beach, POST Executive Director Ken O'Brien announced that he would retire from State service no later than December 31, 2006. Ken thanked the Commission for the opportunity to lead POST for the past 10 years. The Commission thanked Ken for his years of service and leadership to POST.

In a subsequent Executive Session, the Commission appointed Assistant Executive Director Hal Snow to be the Interim Executive Director from January 1, 2007, until a permanent Executive Director is hired. Hal Snow also announced his retirement at the Commission meeting effective December 15, 2006. He will not be a candidate for the Executive Director's position.

Questions about Ken O'Brien's pending retirement may be directed to Assistant Executive Director Dick Reed, Executive Office, at (916) 227-2809 or dick.reed@post.ca.gov.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR PROMOTES FOUR NEW BUREAU CHIEFS

Executive Director Ken O'Brien promoted the following POST employees to Bureau Chief effective October 1, 2006:

Tom Liddicoat has been promoted to Senior Law Enforcement Consultant, Administrative Services Bureau Chief. Tom began employment with POST in 1981 as a Staff Services Manager I acting as the department's Budget Officer. In 2002, Tom received a promotion to Staff Services Manager II, serving as Administrative Services Bureau Chief. Due to the fact that Tom has been performing duties formerly performed by a Senior Law Enforcement Consultant, the Department of Personnel Administration approved the reclassification/upgrade of the position to Senior Law Enforcement Consultant.

Ed Pecinovsky has been promoted to Senior Law Enforcement Consultant, Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau Chief. Ed was hired as a Law Enforcement Consultant II in 1998. He has worked in the Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau for the last six years. Previously, Ed served in the Center for Leadership Development and the Quality Assessment Bureau.

Dave Spisak has been promoted to Senior Law Enforcement Consultant, Information Services Bureau Chief. Dave began his employment with POST as a Law Enforcement Consultant II in 1990. Dave worked his first eleven years at POST in the Training Program Services Bureau. Since 2001, he has been assigned to the Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau.

Ken Krueger has been promoted to Career Executive Assignment (CEA) I, Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau Chief. Ken was first hired as a Research Specialist I in 1982. He was promoted to Personnel Selection Consultant (PSC) I in 1985 and to PSC II in 1988. Ken has been assigned to the Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau throughout his career at POST.

Please join POST staff in congratulating these dedicated professionals on their well-deserved promotions. Questions about Bureau Chief promotions may be directed to Assistant Executive Director Dick Reed, Executive Office, at (916) 227-2809 or dick.reed@post.ca.gov.

TACTICAL MEDICINE COURSES APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

POST certified the 40-hour Tactical Emergency Medicine I and the 40-hour Tactical Medicine II courses presented by the International School of Tactical Medicine (ISTM) and the Palm Springs Police Department. The Department of Homeland Security, Office of Grants and Training (G&T) completed comprehensive reviews of both courses and approved the courses as meeting or exceeding federal training standards. This approval allows agencies to use federal homeland security funds to pay for tuition, travel, per diem, and overtime.

The courses are being presented on October 23 - November 3, 2006, at the Palms Springs Police Department. A total of 50 students from federal, state, local, and private emergency services providers from California, North and South Carolina, Colorado, Arizona, Missouri, Michigan, Wisconsin, New Mexico, Ohio, Nevada, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Georgia, Canada, and Ireland are attending the 80 hours of training.

All instructors are board-certified physicians who have law enforcement experience and who regularly work with agency SWAT or Emergency Response Team personnel. The students participate in multiple tactical and medical scenarios during this intensive training course. Since its inception in 1996, over 1000 students from 500 different agencies nationwide have participated in this training.

Information can be obtained at www.tacticalmedicine.com. Questions about the Tactical Medicine courses may be directed to Senior Consultant Donald Lane, Homeland Security Training Program, at (916) 227-3916 or donald.lane@post.ca.gov.

MANAGING CRITICAL INCIDENTS (SEMS & NIMS) TELECOURSE RELEASED

On October 26, 2006, the *Managing Critical Incidents (SEMS & NIMS)* telecourse was completed and was distributed statewide. This telecourse was developed by POST in collaboration with the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (OES), the Office of Homeland Security (OHS), the State Fire Marshal's Office (SFM), and the Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA).

The telecourse is designed to familiarize officers on the use of the California Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS) and the National Incident Management System (NIMS). The telecourse illustrates the effective use of the Incident Command System (ICS) in major critical incidents that have occurred in California. The telecourse also features a panel discussion on critical incident management and the benefits and importance of using the ICS as part of the daily response to incidents.

The scenarios detail the CHP response to Hurricane Katrina, the Cedar Fire in San Diego, the MetroLink disaster in Glendale, and the Alaska Air crash in Ventura County. In addition, the telecourse addresses the use of ICS for planned events such as the Rose Parade in Pasadena and the Ronald Reagan funeral in Simi Valley. This telecourse is designed to augment regular training in SEMS & NIMS and for use by instructors to illustrate the ICS.

Questions about the *Managing Critical Incidents (SEMS & NIMS)* telecourse may be directed to Special Consultant Ken Whitman, Homeland Security Training Program, at (916) 227-5561 or ken.whitman@post.ca.gov.

BASIC COURSE TEST ALIGNMENT PROJECT CONTINUES

POST staff is committed to an ongoing project to review and evaluate the written tests in the Basic Course so the content of the tests is fully aligned with the content of student workbooks. One workbook is available for each of the 41 learning domains, and student mastery is assessed with written tests in 25 of these domains. Testing staff has implemented a process through which all Basic Course tests are regularly reviewed and revised in conjunction with the revision of the student workbooks. This process includes an evaluation of the test-passing standards for each domain.

Through October 2006, staff has reviewed and aligned the tests in the following three domains: LD #07 (Crimes Against Persons), LD #26 (Unusual Occurrences), and LD #40 (Weapons Violations).

The test items developed by staff and subject matter experts for the new Learning Domain #43: Weapons of Mass Destruction, will be reviewed and test forms developed at the Regular Basic Course Review Panel meeting in December 2006.

Questions about the Basic Course Test Alignment Project may be directed to Test Validation and Development Specialist Diane Hrepich, Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau, at (916) 227-4831 or diane.hrepich@post.ca.gov.

ICI DETECTIVE SYMPOSIUM PLANNING COMMITTEE CONVENED

The planning committee for the third annual Detective Symposium met in October to determine training topics and to tour the facilities of the symposium site. The planning committee, which is comprised of case-carrying detectives, detective supervisors, and forensics experts from large and small agencies throughout the state, identified the following as probable topics for breakout and plenary sessions:

- "MySpace.com"
- Forensic Case Studies
- Interview and Interrogation –
 Audio and Visual Recording
- Interrogation Strategy Enhancement
- Large Scale Crime Scene Investigations

- Organized Retail Crime
- Street Gangs
- Legal Update
- On-line Information Sources
- Case Preparation
- Identity Theft

In addition, lead detectives in four high-profile investigations will present case biopsies.

The site of the May 22-24, 2007, symposium will be the San Francisco Airport Marriott. Once again, San Jose State University (SJSU) will coordinate the symposium and will soon distribute specific program and registration information. Additionally, detailed symposium information with a link to the SJSU website will be provided on the POST website.

Questions about the Detective Symposium, a training program within the Robert Presley Institute of Criminal Investigation, may be directed to Senior Consultant Mike Hooper, Training Program Services Bureau, at (916) 227-3912 or mike.hooper@post.ca.gov.

DEVELOPMENT OF SEARCH WARRANT TRAINING TOOL PROTOTYPE

In October, the development of a prototype for the search warrant training tool began. Three focus groups provided input on the features and functions of the tool.

Investigators and deputy district attorneys attended the focus groups and identified the following desired features: 1) it should provide search warrant information on various crimes, in various locations, 2) it should allow officers to develop customized search warrant content specific to their affidavit, 3) it must accommodate Word Perfect and MS Word, 4) it must be easy to maintain and update as laws change or more current information becomes available, and 5) it should be a "smart tool" that can check to ensure that rules were followed and that correct formatting and proper fact patterns were used.

Questions about the Search Warrant Training Tool may be directed to Supervisor Jan Myyra, Learning Technology Resource Center, at (916) 227-4550 or jan.myyra@post.ca.gov.

POST STAFF ATTEND INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE CONFERENCE

In October, POST staff attended the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) Conference in Boston, MA. The conference focused on "Law Enforcement Education and Technology." Thousands of law enforcement executives and trainers attended from all over the world. The conference featured a wide variety of meetings, workshops, and networking events, as well as a vendor trade show.

Assistant Executive Director Mike DiMiceli represented Executive Director Kenneth J. O'Brien at meetings of the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training (IADLEST). POST Selection Consultant Shelley Spilberg, Ph.D., gave a pre-conference presentation describing ongoing POST work on the Background Investigation and Psychological Suitability Evaluations to a Police Psychological Services Users Group and attended meetings of the Law Enforcement Psychological Track. Senior Law Enforcement Consultant Bryon Gustafson attended sessions covering electronic weapons, use of force, and high-profile incidents.

California was represented both by presenters and attendees. East Palo Alto Police Chief Ronald Davis was a member of a panel discussion entitled "A Fundamental Duty: Protecting and Promoting Civil Rights." Fremont Police Chief Craig Steckler represents California on the IACP Executive Board as a Vice President-At-Large. General Assembly speakers included U.S. Attorney General Alberto Gonzales and FBI Director Robert Mueller.

Questions about the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) Conference may be directed to Senior Consultant Bryon G. Gustafson, Training Program Services Bureau, at (916) 227-3902 or bryon.gustafson@post.ca.gov.

POST COLLABORATES ON PRE-ACADEMY FITNESS STANDARDS

POST Senior Personnel Selection Consultant Michael Catlin, Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau, traveled to Burien, Washington, to meet with counterparts at the Washington State Criminal Justice Training Commission. The purpose of this meeting was to continue collaboration in the area of physical fitness standards development and validation. Both California and Washington have similar projects to develop physical fitness tests and standards to be used to select students who are better prepared for physically demanding elements of academy training.

This opportunity developed as a result of the Western Region of the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training (IADLEST) workshop held in Sacramento to begin regional collaboration on the development of a pre-academy physical fitness assessment process.

Questions about the POST Pre-Academy Physical Fitness Standards Project may be directed to Senior Personnel Selection Consultant Michael Catlin, Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau, at (916) 227-2570 or michael.catlin@post.ca.gov.

FIRST AID/CPR CURRICULUM UPDATE BEGINS

On October 4, 2006, staff met with first aid/CPR instructors and Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) to review the POST First Aid/CPR curriculum. This meeting began the process to update the curriculum to incorporate recent changes made by the American Red Cross and the American Heart Association. In addition to updating the curriculum, POST will convert the course for Internet delivery through the POST Learning Portal.

This course has been a very popular and effective way of satisfying the recurring training requirement for first aid/CPR. The existing First Aid/CPR CD-based training course is interactive and self-paced; the Internet version will retain the same interactivity.

Questions about the First Aid/CPR curriculum update may be directed to Senior Instructional Designer Sven Blomberg, Learning Technology Resource Center, at (916) 227-4547 or sven.blomberg@post.ca.gov.

ON-LINE VERSION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT RESPONSE TO TERRORISM (LERT) TO BE LAUNCHED

The on-line version of the Law Enforcement Response to Terrorism (LERT) course will be available on the POST Learning Portal. This course meets the requirements of SB 1350 and is in full compliance with training mandates in Penal Code §13519.12. It is approved by the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Office of Grants and Training (G&T).

Since the course will reside on POST's Learning Portal, it will be available to all of California law enforcement seven days a week, 24-hours a day. This is especially beneficial to those agencies that may not have easy access to the classroom-based version of the training.

Individuals completing the course will receive 8 hours of CPT credit. The POST Learning Portal may be accessed at www.lp.post.ca.gov.

Questions about the Law Enforcement Response to Terrorism (LERT) course on the POST Learning Portal may be directed to Supervisor Jan Myyra, Learning Technology Resource Center, at (916) 227-4550 or jan.myyra@post.ca.gov.

DETECTIVE JOB ANALYSIS SURVEY COMPLETED

In October, DLS Group of Colorado partnered with POST to conduct a three-week survey of investigators as part of a comprehensive job analysis of the detective function. The on-line survey represented the second phase of data collection. Previously, four subject matter expert focus groups were convened and the data collected was used to develop the survey instrument.

The survey sample was comprised of 452 detectives from agencies statewide. A sampling technique was employed for data collection that enables generalization of the findings to the total population of investigators across California.

Findings from the survey have been compiled by agency size and by detective experience. Preliminary review of the survey data indicates a high level of congruence with the tasks identified by the focus groups.

POST and DLS will continue working together to:

- Complete the analysis of the survey data
- Report survey findings and recommendations
- Formulate a curriculum revision plan

Questions about the Detective Job Analysis may be directed to Senior Consultant Mike Hooper, Training Program Services Bureau, at (916) 227-3912 or mike.hooper@post.ca.gov.

BACKGROUND WORKSHOPS BEGIN

POST staff from the Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau and the Standards and Evaluation Services Bureau are presenting a series of statewide workshops to discuss the new Background Investigation Manual. The presentation addresses the purpose of background investigations, recent changes in State law and POST regulations, and the new background file dividers POST is making available to background investigators.

In the workshop, the relevance of the recently-revised *Personal History Statement for Peace Officers* and the newly-adopted *Personal History Statement for Dispatchers* are discussed. Considerable time is devoted to demonstrating how to utilize the new Background Investigation Manual, including how the new dividers will assist agencies in the organization of complex background material. Also discussed are changes to expect in the recently-updated Background Investigators Course.

Questions about the Background Workshops may be directed to Bureau Chief Ed Pecinovsky, Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau, at (916) 227-4874 or ed.pecinovsky@post.ca.gov.

GRADUATION OF MASTER INSTRUCTOR DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM CLASS 20

During October, Class 20 of the Master Instructor Development Program (MIDP) graduated in San Diego. There were 13 graduates of this class. The goal of the MIDP is to prepare a cadre of highly-skilled trainers capable of developing and presenting effective training. Upon graduation, they are able to provide assistance to regional academies, law enforcement agencies, and other instructors. The content of the MIDP covers adult learning concepts, instructional design and course development, enhanced subject matter expertise, research methods, formats and publication, emerging instructional technology, and coaching and mentoring. The program lasts for one year and involves 28 training days. The MIDP instructors are a valuable resource to POST and to the law enforcement community.

When these students graduated, they completed a course project which includes the development and presentation of a POST-certified training course. The courses developed by the graduates include: Communications During a Multi-Agency Critical Event, Employee Relations Applied Leadership, Computer Aided Diagramming of Collisions and Crime Scenes, Formal OJT for Dispatchers, Pre-Academy Training Program, Regional 9-1-1 In-House Radio Dispatch Academy, Forensic Science for Law Enforcement Managers, Quality Assurance for Law Enforcement Communications, Investigation of Human Trafficking, Death Notification, Chemical Agents Instructor Course, and Police Crisis Intervention Train the Trainer.

Questions about the Master Instructor Development Program (MIDP) graduation may be directed to Bureau Chief Alan Deal, Training Program Services Bureau, at (916) 227-2820 or alan.deal@post.ca.gov.

POST DEVELOPING PACKAGE FOR CUSTODIAL TRAINING

In October, POST began work on a video training package on the topic of prisoner security. The California Code of Regulations Title 15 outlines specific guidelines for developing policies and procedures related to adults and minors who are confined in jails, detention centers, and court holding facilities.

Recognizing a training need in this area, POST released in February 2006 a two-hour "Custodial and Courtroom Security" Telecourse which includes segments on courtroom security, conducting searches, personnel and planning strategies, media considerations, and best practices. A follow-up Telecourse, tentatively titled "Prisoner Security," is in development and will examine the area of custody and care of prisoners. Topics will include use of force on restrained persons, maintaining security over high-risk prisoners during transportation, extraction techniques, preventing escapes, prisoner weapons, and separation and medical treatment of at-risk prisoners.

Both telecourses will be packaged with a five-hour Line-Up Training Program and will be certified for nine hours of Continuing Professional Training (CPT) credit. The video training package will be available in spring 2007.

Questions about the Custodial Training video package may be directed to Senior Law Enforcement Consultant Jody Buna, Training Program Services Bureau, at (916) 227-4896 or jody.buna@post.ca.gov.

ALLAN HANCOCK ACADEMY REVIEWED

On October 19-20, 2006, a Basic Course Certification Review was conducted at the Allan Hancock College Basic Law Enforcement Academy. The Certification Review Team consisted of Bureau Chief Ed Pecinovsky, Chair of the Team, Chief of Police John DeRohan of the Morro Bay Police Department, and E.J. Pellegrino, Director of the Fullerton College Basic Law Enforcement Academy.

Basic Course Certification Reviews cover Course Administration, Course Quality and Delivery, Facilities, Equipment, and Academy Safety Policies. During the review, the Inspection Team visits the areas where basic training takes place, inspects the academy files and records, verifies that POST Regulations are being followed, and interviews the recruits.

The Inspection Team identified areas in which improvements could be made and areas in which the academy was exemplary. The team met with College President Dr. Jose Ortiz at the conclusion of the inspection to discuss the inspection and the team's findings.

Questions about the Basic Course Certification Review may be directed to Bureau Chief Ed Pecinovsky, Training Delivery and Compliance Services Bureau, at (916) 227-4874 or ed.pecinovsky@post.ca.gov.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS ON THE POST WEBSITE

Due to security concerns, the POST Calendar of Events is located within the Flagship Network on the POST Website. The Flagship Network is an electronic bulletin board for the Commission and sworn law enforcement personnel accessed through a user identification and password.

Information about obtaining access is located at http://www.post.ca.gov/library/p_ch/flagship_bb.asp. If you have access to the network but have forgotten your user identification or password, please send an email to clearinghouse@post.ca.gov.

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Information regarding bills with a Commission position appears on the following page.

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STATUS OF LEGISLATION ON WHICH THE COMMISSION HAS TAKEN A POSITION

The following are bills in Legislative Session 2005-06 on which the Commission has taken a position. Other bills of interest to law enforcement stakeholders may be viewed at http://www.post.ca.gov/about/legislation.asp.

Bill # and Author	Title, Summary and Commission Position	Status of Bill
AB 1942	Arrest of Caretaker Parents or Guardians of Minors: This	Chaptered
(Nava)	bill would require POST to develop guidelines and training for	Ch. 729
	use by state and local law enforcement officers to address issues	Stats. 2006
	related to child safety when a caretaker parent or guardian is	(9-29-06)
	arrested. It would express Legislative intent regarding the	
	development of protocols by law enforcement and other entities	
	pertaining to arrested caretaker parents or guardians of minors to	
	ensure the safety and well-being of affected minors.	
	Commission Position: Neutral	
AB 2051	Domestic Violence: This bill requires the Commission on Peace	Chaptered
(Cohn)	Officer Standards and Training (POST) to implement a training	Ch. 856
	program on the handling of domestic violence complaints for law	Stats. 2006
	enforcement officers in California, and to consult with various	(9-30-06)
	groups on development of the program.	
	Commission Position: Opposition withdrawn	
AB 2133	Peace Officers: Racial Profiling: Traffic Stops: This bill would	Inactive
(Torrico)	expand an existing pilot program regarding peace officer racial	(8-31-06)
	profiling to all law enforcement agencies that conduct traffic	
	stops; it would require POST to develop training and law	
	enforcement agencies to develop policy provide training, and	
	collect specified data; it would require the training to be	
	completed by March 1, 2007, and annually thereafter.	
A D 2102	Commission Position: Oppose unless amended	т
AB 2183	Peace Officer Training: Physical Fitness: This bill would	Inactive
(Spitzer)	require POST to develop guidelines for a voluntary physical	(8-31-06)
	fitness program for any agency that employs peace officers. It	
	would authorize agencies that participate in the program to	
	receive state aid. It would appropriate \$10 M from the general	
	fund to POST to develop the guidelines and provide funds to	
	participating agencies.	
	Commission Position: Oppose	

Bill # and Author	Title, Summary, & Commission Position	Status of Bill
AB 2300	Crime Prevention Programs: Crime Stoppers Program: This	Inactive
(Parra)	bill would authorize counties to establish local crime stopper programs; provide immunity from liability to persons who report criminal activity to a local Crime Stoppers program; provide immunity from liability to persons who act on reports of criminal activity; and authorize a board of supervisors of a county to impose additional monetary criminal penalty (\$3 per fine) to fund these local programs. Commission Position: Oppose unless amended	(8-31-06)
AB 2465	Pedestrian-Bicyclist Safety: Vehicles: School Safety Zones:	Inactive
(De La Torre)	This bill would authorize a pilot in Los Angeles County, cities within the county and school districts to establish a school pedestrian-bicyclist safety program within school zones. It would authorize that specified violations committed by drivers of vehicles within these zones would result in doubling of the fine for these offenses. Law enforcement agencies requested by the program administrator to assist in enforcement would be required to provide agency resources without additional funding. Commission Position: No position	(8-31-06)
AB 2646	Local Government: Coroners: This bill would require POST to	Vetoed by
(Daucher)	evaluate the need to include specified training in the coroner's death investigation course to address terminal illness deaths attended by licensed hospice care providers. Commission Position: Neutral	Governor (9-30-06)
AB 2854	Insurance: Bail Bonds: This bill tolled the 180-day time limit to	Vetoed by
(Dymally)	return a defendant after bail is forfeited in order to receive bail reinstatement if there is a pending request for extradition. Commission Position: No position	Governor (9-30-06)
SB 1227	Prima Facie Speed Limits: Schools: School Zones: This bill	Inactive
(Denham)	would authorize a pilot study for the Counties of Merced and Monterey, cities with these counties and school districts to establish a school pedestrian-bicyclist safety program within school zones. It would reduce the "school zone" speed limit from 25 mph to 20 or 15 mph. Commission Position: No position	(8-31-06)
SB 1544	Eyewitness Lineups: This bill requires the Department of Justice	Vetoed by
(Migden)	(DOJ) and the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST), in consultation with local law enforcement, prosecutors, defense attorneys, and other legal experts, as specified, to develop guidelines for policies and procedures with respect to collection and handling of eyewitness evidence in criminal investigations by all law enforcement agencies in California by December 31, 2007. Commission Position: Neutral	Governor (9-30-06)

Bill # and Author	Title, Summary, & Commission Position	Status of Bill
SB 1757	Fair Political Practices Commission: Investigators: This bill	Inactive
(Ortiz)	would appropriate \$15,000 from the General Fund to fund a	(8-31-06)
	feasibility study by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards	
	and Training (POST) to advise on the appropriateness of proving	
	peace officer status to investigators employed by the Fair	
	Political Practices Commission.	
	Commission Position: No position	
SB 1761	Victim Services: This bill would create the Victim Trauma	Inactive
(Poochigian)	Recovery and Child Advocacy Center Funds. It would authorize	(8-31-06)
	counties to establish child advocacy centers to coordinate the	
	activities of various agencies involved in the investigation and	
	prosecution of alleged child abuse and mitigation of family	
	violence. It would authorize the Office of Emergency Services to	
	administer the grant program associated with county child	
	advocacy centers. It would redistribute funds within the State	
	Penalty Fund, including increasing the Peace Officers' Training	
	Fund by 9.5%.	
	Commission Position: Neutral	
SB 1773	Fines and Forfeitures: This bill would authorize boards of	Chaptered
(Alarcon)	supervisors to increase an existing penalty assessment to \$2 for	Ch. 841
	every \$10 of fines, penalties, and forfeitures collected for	Stats. 2006
	criminal offenses. It would require 75% of the funds collected in	(9-30-06)
	this manner to be deposited into the Maddy Emergency Medical	
	Services Fund, 15% to be deposited into the "Richie Fund" for	
	expenditures related to pediatric trauma centers, and 10% of the	
	funds collected to be used to address administrative costs.	
	Commission Position: Oppose	